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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJ: ARMS FOR YEMEN

1. DURING A JUNE 29 MEETING IN RIYADH WITH LT GEN FISH,
SAUDI MINDEF PRINCE SULTAN REQUESTED THAT THE USG EXPRESS
ITS CONCERN TO PRESIDENT HAMDY ABOUT THE CONTINUING
MILITARY SUPPLY RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION
AND THE YAR. SULTAN ASKED THAT THIS BE DONE BEFORE
PRESIDENT HAMDY BEGINS HIS VISIT TO SAUDI ARABIA ON
SATURDAY, JULY 2.

2. PRINCE SULTAN SAID THAT HE WAS CONCERNED ABOUT THE
RECENT ARMS DELIVERIES BY THE SOVIETS, PARTICULARLY
AIRCRAFT. SAUDI ARABIA, SULTAN SAID, HAS ALREADY TOLD THE
YAR OF ITS WORRIES AND PLANS TO REITERATE THESE WHEN
HAMDY ARRIVES.

3. GENERAL FISH TOLD SULTAN THAT WE WOULD RELAY HIS
REQUEST TO THE DEPARTMENT.

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